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**COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO MAY 17, 2004 NOTICE TO FILE
CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS FILING DATE GRANTED**

This Communication is submitted in response to the May 17, 2004 Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A copy of this Notice is attached as **Exhibit A**. A response to the May 17, 2004 Notice to File Corrected Application Papers is due July 17, 2004. Therefore, this Communication is being timely filed.

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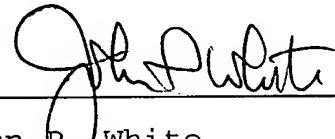
REMARKS

The Notice to File Corrected Application Papers indicates that the drawings submitted are not acceptable because they have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced or text that is illegible. In response, applicants submit as **Exhibit B** replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR §§ 1.84 and 1.121.

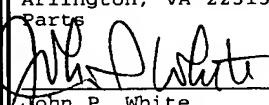
If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicant's undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone the number provided below.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Communication. If any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(l) and (p)(1); See Figure(s) all.

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